

## Baltimore City Department of Human Resources

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**EXAMINATION FOR:** COMMUNICATIONS SPECIALIST

**SALARY:** \$48,800 – \$59,400 **GRADE:** 116

**CLOSING DATE:** Continuous Recruitment

**<u>POSITION</u>**: A Communications Specialist evaluates, develops, designs and coordinates the installation of communications services and systems. Employees are on-call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

The eligible list may be used to hire persons as vacancies arise.

**MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:** On or before the date of filing the application, each candidate must:

Have certification as a Network Engineer or Network Administrator;

AND

Have a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university with major course work in engineering, communications, information systems, electronics, telecommunications or a closely related field;

**AND** 

Have four years of experience in evaluating, designing, planning, or implementing a comprehensive communications services systems involving voice, data, telephone or other related communications systems;

OR

Have an equivalent combination of relevant education and experience in evaluating, designing, planning, or implementing a comprehensive communications services systems involving voice, data, telephone or other related communications systems.

**NOTE**: YOUR CERTIFICATION MUST BE RECORDED ON YOUR APPLICATION AND WILL BE VERIFIED BY THE APPOINTING AUTHORITY.

**SELECTION PROCESS**: All candidates indicating the minimum qualifications on their applications will be placed on the eligible list without further examination. The certification, training and experience of each candidate will be evaluated for appropriateness and quantity. It is essential, therefore, that you give complete and accurate information on your application. Vagueness or omission may prevent you from being considered for the position. Qualified candidates will not be listed in rank order.

<u>CONTINUOUS RECRUITMENT</u>: Vacancies may be filled at any time. Applications will be processed in the order in which they are received. Delay in filing your application may prevent you from being considered for vacancies.

**<u>NOTE</u>:** Those eligibles who are under final consideration for appointment will be required to authorize the release of criminal conviction information from the Maryland State Police.

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Salary Increased 7/1/02

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For additional job opportunities information, call (410) 545-3875 For the Hearing impaired: TTY 396-4930

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**APPLICATIONS:** Applications may be obtained by mail or in person from the Baltimore City Department of Human Resources, 201 East Baltimore Street, Suite 100, Baltimore, Maryland 21202.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION: Eligible candidates must pass a job-related physical examination administered by the City.

**TESTING FOR DRUGS:** Effective October 1, 1994, the City's pre-employment physical examination for all applicants will include substance abuse testing. Substance abuse testing shall also be required prior to promotion to a sensitive job classification.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Qualified candidates will be considered for vacancies as they arise, for a period of at least one year. The decision of the Director of Human Resources with respect to acceptable minimum qualifications is final.

**SERVICE FEE:** City employees who are represented by a union will be required to become union members or to pay a service fee as a condition of continuing employment after completion of a probationary period.

PROBATION: All persons, including current City employees, selected from an eligible list resulting from this examination will be on probation for six months.



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